

DEC-29-2003 MON 09:23 AM SALIWANCHIK, LLOYD&SALIWA FAX NO. 352 372 5800

P. 01

FACSIMILE COVER SHEET

SALIWANCHIK, LLOYD & SALIWANCHIK

A Professional Association
2421 N.W. 41st Street
Suite A-1
Gainesville, FL 32606

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

DEC 29 2003

OFFICIAL

Telephone (352) 375-8100
Facsimile (352) 372-5800

EXAMINER: *not yet assigned*

FROM: David R. Saliwanchik

COMPANY: U.S. Patent Office
Art Unit 1771

DATE: December 29, 2003

FAX NO.: (703) 872-9306

NO. OF PAGES
(INCLUDING COVER SHEET): 4

SUBJECT/MESSAGE:

Re: Serial No. 10/662,492, filed September 15, 2003
Attorney Docket No. CRX-106XC1

- 1) Preliminary Amendment

THIS IS AN OFFICIAL DOCUMENT!

The information contained in this facsimile message is intended only for the personal and confidential use of the designated recipients named below. This message may be an attorney-client communication, and as such is privileged and confidential. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient or an agent responsible for delivering it to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that you have received this document in error, and that any review, dissemination, distribution, or copying of this message is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please notify us immediately by telephone and return the original message by mail. Thank you.

If you do not receive all pages or if any transmission is not legible, call the sender at (352) 375-8100.

H:\DOC\FAXCOVER\PTO\1771.DOC\RES\la

DEC-29-2003 MON 09:23 AM SALIWANCHIK, LLOYD&SALIWA

FAX NO. 352 372 5800

P. 02

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below:

December 29, 2003

David Saliwanchik

David R. Saliwanchik, Patent Attorney

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT
Examining Group 1771
Patent Application
Docket No. CRX-106XC1
Serial No. 10/662,492

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

DEC 29 2003

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Art Unit : 1771
Applicants : Albert E. Ortega
Serial No. : 10/662,492
Conf. No. : 9209
Filed : September 15, 2003
For : Method of Reducing Static in a Spunbond Process

OFFICIAL

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the subject application as follows:

JASH-RESP\CRX\CRX-106XC1-prelamend.doc/DNB/la